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Ninth Meeting
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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the Ninth Meeting by the President of the Eighth Meeting.

2. Minute of silent prayer or meditation.

3. Election of the President.

4. Adoption of the agenda for the Ninth Meeting.

5. Election of the Vice-Presidents.

6. Appointment of the Credentials Committee.

7. Organization of work.

8. Report of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea to the Meeting of States Parties (1998) (rule 6 of the Rules of Procedure for Meetings of States Parties) (SPLOS/35).

9. Draft budget of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea for 2000, as submitted by the Tribunal (SPLOS/WP.9).

10. Adjustment of the remuneration of members of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea (SPLOS/WP.10).

11. Election of seven members of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea.

12. Consideration of the Financial Regulations of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea as approved by the Tribunal (SPLOS/36).

13. Consideration of the Staff Regulations of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea as approved by the Tribunal (SPLOS/37).

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14. Conditions under which retirement pensions may be given to members of the Tribunal (see article 18, paragraph 7, of Annex VI to the Convention) (SPLOS/WP.7/Rev.1).

15. Rules of procedure of the Meeting of States Parties, in particular, the rules dealing with the decisions on questions of substance (rule 53) and the establishment of a financial committee.

16. Other matters.